

COUNCIL ANSWERS DISTRESS SIGNAL

City Treasurer is Growing Low and Effort is Made To Stop Unnecessary Contract Work.

CLAIM COMMITTEE GETS BUSY

No More Improvements in 1912 Unless Ordered By the Board of Public Works.

The regular meeting of the city council last night was of more than ordinary interest for a halt in the reckless expenditures of money was ordered and claims for nearly \$500 were held up pending an investigation of their legality. A number of other important matters were also discussed at some length by the councilmen. All the members with Mayor Swope in the chair were present.

The preliminary order of business was carried out as usual until the question of allowing the claims was brought up, and it was here that the opening gun was fired. Councilman Buse, a member of the claim committee, started the ball rolling by objecting to several bills which were presented for concrete work. The bills were filed by Harry Marberry, a contractor, for work he had done on Pine and Mill streets at the order of Councilman Davison, chairman of the board of public works. Buse stated that some of this work had been done without his knowledge and without the knowledge of the councilmen, and was opposed to city business being conducted in such a lax manner. His complaint was directed principally to the construction of concrete valleys on Mill street across Fifth and Sixth streets. In addressing the council upon the claims, Mr. Buse spoke plainly and said, "If matters go on this way with all these extra bills, the city will be bankrupt before the close of 1912. I don't think that it should go on in this way." He said that the work had been ordered by the street commissioner or Mr. Davison, and he called upon the latter to give an explanation.

In reply Mr. Davison said that he did not know upon what grounds the objections had been filed by the other members of the council and that the work had been going on this way under the very eyes of the councilmen and that they had registered no complaint whatever. He further stated that at a previous meeting it had been understood that where proper improvements were being made and it was necessary that curbing and gutters or valleys across the streets were needed, that he should order the work done to prevent the delay of the improvements. He said that he had followed this suggestion, and wherever a valley was needed he had ordered it constructed. He also said that some work had been done in the south part of town without the knowledge of the councilman and that the members who were now complaining had offered no objection. This work he declared had been done in the Second ward, but similar constructions had been awarded by the councilman in a way in the Third and Fourth wards and the bills had been allowed without objection. He said as he understood the complaint, no objection was made to

the work except because of the expense which was incurred at this time. He said that so far as his actions were concerned, he had endeavored to carry out the order of the board of public works and that as the work had been done under the eyes of the other members, he had no apology to make and no regrets to offer.

Councilman Buse then stated that the work had not come before the board of public works so far as he knew, and that so far as he was personally concerned, he did not know that the work was being contemplated or had been done until the bills were presented for the same.

Davison quickly followed with a question directed to Buse asking why no objections had been made to the work which had been done in the south part of town. Buse made no reply, but Sherman Day jumped to his feet and exclaimed that the work on those streets were necessary and that he believed that it should have been done.

Councilman Misch, who seems to be gaining control as a councilman is leader, said that claims which were filed for the work on Mill street would have to be paid whether there was a mistake or not. He said that the work had been let either by the chairman of the board of public works or the city engineer, and that the thing to do was to pay the claims and then stop this sort of business.

City Treasurer Charles W. Burkart was present and gave a short talk on the legality of the claims and gave the council notice that they would be held up until he was assured that they were legal and that there would be no probability of any one going after him upon his bond.

A bill was presented for \$35.86 for stone screenings. Councilman Misch asked when this had been placed and was informed by the street commissioner that it had been used in completing the improvement on Jeffersonville Ave. Misch objected to allowing the claim upon the ground that the contract, which was awarded to Ewing Shields, had not been completed according to the specifications prepared by the city engineer. He produced a copy of the plans, and read that the avenue was to be improved to the north line of South street, but according to a statement of the city engineer there were 62.9 inches which had not yet been improved. It was for this space that the screenings had been purchased. Upon motion of Misch, the bill was unanimously rejected.

A bill was also filed for \$140.90 in settlement of the damage suit brought by Mrs. Kate Severinghaus against the city of Seymour. The plaintiff asked for \$1000 damages for injuries received in a runaway sometime ago. She alleged that the accident was caused by certain obstructions which were in the street and that she was unable to see them because of the inadequate lighting system. City Attorney Edward P. Elsner succeeded in compromising the case for \$125 and costs which amounted to \$15.90. The obstructions, which were alleged to have been the cause of the runaway accident, belonged to August Taskay, and in compromising the case, he agreed to pay part of the sum. The judgment, however, was made against the city.

After considerable discussion, it was voted to allow all of the claims except those which were rejected.

Councilman Misch, in order to prevent the further expenditures of money, presented a resolution providing that no other improvements be made during the year of 1912 unless ordered by the board of public works and considered of utmost importance.

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T.R. LEADERS WILL NOT JOIN IN BOLT

Only About Twenty-five Per Cent. of The Colonel's Delegates Would Follow Him.

MAJORITY WANT TO BE REGULAR

Caucus Is Held in Which The Attitude of The Roosevelt Lieutenants is Made Known.

Chicago, June 21—Among the Roosevelt forces there is a strong sentiment against bolting the republican national convention, and of the Colonel's delegates it is estimated that only about twenty-five per cent. would follow him in such a move. Several of Roosevelt's leaders have notified him that they will give him their support, but will take no part whatever in a bolt.

One of the most impressive illustrations of the desire of delegates to be regular was furnished by the Illinois delegation, which stands 56 to 2 in favor of Mr. Roosevelt, and which represents a popular plurality of more than 100,000 in the Presidential primary of two months ago.

Fifty-two members of the delegation attended the caucus. Fifty-one of them voted against a bolt and one of them in favor of it. The attitude of the seven others was quickly ascertained, and at least three were likewise opposed, and probably five. Representative Martin M. Madden, of Chicago, one of the Roosevelt delegates, said immediately after the caucus adjourned:

"At least 54 of us have declined to bolt. I think, however, the number may safely be put at 56. We are Republicans and do not intend to be branded as bolters from a Republican National Convention."

The verdict of the Illinois delegation was quickly reported to Mr. Roosevelt. The sentiment of other delegations also was communicated to him.

Governor Hadley, of Missouri, who has been leading the parliamentary fight in the convention for the Colonel, informed him that he could not indorse such a move. With characteristic emphasis and frankness Senator Borah, of Idaho, declared that he would not be a party to it, and, moreover, would advise all his friends not to sustain it. Subsequently the Idaho delegation voted solidly 8 to 0 to sustain Mr. Borah.

The 34 Roosevelt delegates from Ohio also caucused on the subject and the preponderance of sentiment decidedly was against a bolt. No formal ballot was taken, however, several of the delegates who are chairmen or other officers of county, congressional or state committees announced that they did not intend to jeopardize the success of friends who were candidates for local offices by subscribing to the doctrine of secession.

Attention Eagles.

Owing to unavoidable circumstances, Eagles' memorial services have been postponed until Sunday, June 30th.

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STATE POSITION Roosevelt Leaders Emphatically Declare They Will Not Bolt.

Chicago, June 21.—The following statements from the leaders themselves show that the Colonel's closest advisers outside of Governor Johnson, have been giving him false information.

Governor Hadley, of Missouri: "I will stay in the Republican National Convention."

Governor Stubbs, of Kansas: "I will not bolt. Neither will the Kansas delegation. Ours is a Republican state and will not countenance a third party."

Governor Johnson of California: "I will follow Roosevelt and so will the entire California delegates. I am ready to walk out at any moment. The whole thing is a fraud and an act of treachery and the California delegation will not stand for the way the people are being robbed of their rights."

Governor McGovern of Wisconsin: "The Wisconsin delegation will not bolt. We are regular Republicans."

William Flinn, of Pennsylvania: "We will walk out tomorrow if the Colonel says the word. We will carry 65 delegates with us."

Senator Penrose, of Pennsylvania: "Mr. Flinn's claims are exaggerated." Governor Deneen, of Illinois: "The Illinois delegation will remain in this delegation. I know of only one man who will bolt."

Controller Prendergast of New York, is the only man in that delegation who is willing to say that he will bolt.

Senator Clapp, of Minnesota: "Certainly not. We are not bolters. We will stay in the convention."

Governor Murphy of New Jersey: "The solid New Jersey delegation came to this convention to vote for Theodore Roosevelt. It was instructed to vote for him in this Republican convention, and not in a bolter's convention. So it will remain in this convention according to instructions and will vote for him here."

Iowa's 10 delegates who are pledged to Senator A. B. Cummins will not bolt the convention, according to Senator W. S. Kenyon of Iowa, campaign manager for Cummins.

"The Cummins delegation never will bolt," said Senator Kenyon. "This talk about bolting ought to be sat down on. Let the two factions fight it out in the convention."

"Have I been talking to other progressives on the advisability of organizing a new party?"

"No, sir. I think the Republican party is capable of managing the present situation. Right is bound to prevail in the end. There is not much doubt that some of the contests were not settled on their merits, but I think the number has been exaggerated."

"As for our candidate, we have not a fighting chance, but we have a good compromise chance."

United States Senator Gronna, of North Dakota, was authority for the statement that the North Dakota delegation would refuse to "bolt" the convention.

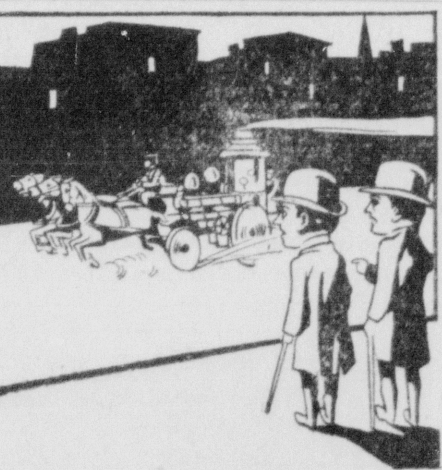
TWELVE DELEGATES SEATED

Credential Committee Makes a Report on Indiana Cases.

By United Press.

Chicago, June 21—The credential committee early today seated the twelve contested Taft delegates from Indiana. This sustains the decision of the republican national committee.

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Credentials Committee is Ready to Make a Report After an All Night's Session.

MUCH PARLIMENTARY BUSINESS

R. B. McCormick Presented Minority Report on The Alabama Contests.

By United Press.

Chicago, June 21—The Republican national convention was called to order this afternoon at 12:22 for the fourth day's session. Immediately after the convention was called to order the report of the credentials committee, which held an all night session, was called for.

Following the demand of Temporary Chairman Root the credentials committee agreed to make a report on the Alabama and Arizona contest cases to the convention. Chairman Root insisted upon the report at this time as it insured a business session.

The delegates were also anxious for the report of the committee as this would give an opportunity for test votes upon which a prediction of the final outcome of the convention could be made.

After agreeing to make the report as asked for by Chairman Root the credentials committee could not agree upon what the report should contain and the convention was delayed in starting for over an hour while the argument over this question was in progress.

About one o'clock, however, the committee came to an agreement and were ready to make their report.

The committee then reported on the contested delegates of the Ninth Alabama district, and held that both Taft delegates were regularly elected and were entitled to their seats in the convention. They held that the contest of the Roosevelt forces was without merit.

R. B. McCormick, of the Roosevelt forces, presented the minority report in the Ninth Alabama district case. As soon as he completed reading his statement, Governor Hadley of Missouri, moved that the minority report be substituted for the report of the majority.

Gov. Hadley also asked that Mr. McCormick be given unanimous consent to read a brief upon the Alabama cases. No objection was raised to hearing brief, but just as he arose to begin his reading a delegate from Virginia arose and moved that the motion of Governor Hadley to substitute the minority report for the majority report, be tabled.

Governor Hadley raised a point of order and declared that this could not be done because unanimous con-

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PRESIDENT WIN ON EVERY BALLOT

Contested Delegates Are Given Right to Vote Before Their Own Cases Are Decided.

CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE BUSY

Majority Report of This Body is Adopted By The Convention by Vote of 607-461.

Bulletin.

By United Press.

Motion by James E. Watson to table minority report of the credentials committee to give the delegation from Arizona to Roosevelt carried by vote of 564 to 497. Majority credentials committee report on Arizona delegates adopted by viva voce vote.

Bulletin.

By United Press.

Credentials committee minority report to seat Roosevelt delegates from Fifth Arkansas district, is tabled. Majority report seating Taft delegates adopted by viva voce vote.

By United Press.

Chicago, June 21—The Taft forces won their third victory over the Roosevelt supporters at the republican national convention this afternoon when the national convention decided that all contested delegates be permitted to vote upon the report of the credentials committee before their own cases were decided.

It was certain that the Taft forces would carry this motion before the roll call of the states was completed. The vote was 569 to 498, eleven delegates not voting.

Following the tabling of Governor Hadley's motion not to allow the contested delegates the right to vote on the credentials committee report before their own cases were decided, Governor Hadley again took the floor and moved to adopt the minority report of the credentials committee which provided that two Roosevelt delegates from the Ninth Alabama district be seated in the convention.

Former Representative James E. Watson of Indiana, Taft parliamentary chief, moved to place the motion on the table.

The vote which was given upon this motion is the largest vote which the Taft forces has received at the national convention. The vote was 607 in favor of tabling the motion and 461 against it. 10 delegates did not vote upon this motion.

When this vote was announced the convention then adopted the majority report of the credentials committee by a viva voce vote.

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# CONFRONTS MIGHTY BIG JOB TODAY

## Roll Calls Wearing Delegates Out.

### CREDENTIALS REPORT

#### Each Contest Is Being Taken Up Separately.

#### AND THERE ARE 16 OF THEM

#### These Repeated Roll Calls Will Carry Sessions Far Into Night.

Chicago, June 21.—There is every indication that the report of the committee on credentials which the Republican national convention is considering this afternoon will take up the time of the convention until far into the night. A roll call of each individual delegate, 1,078 in all, is to be given on all congressional district contests, while the verdict in contests for delegates-at-large is to be rendered by the state's voting bloc. Under the rules of an individual roll call for congressional district contests and an en bloc roll for delegates-at-large, the convention will be compelled to take sixteen roll calls of all those 1,078 delegates, in forty-eight states, four territories and the District of Columbia.

The work of the convention, including the nomination of a candidate for president and vice president, may be completed by Saturday night. The leaders of the opposing forces and most of their adherents hope with all their hearts that this will come to pass. Unless it does the chiefs in these warring camps and their more intimate adherents feel today that a commander-in-chief hitherto unmentioned, will determine this controversy. His name is fatigue. The leaders declare that they cannot keep this convention over Sunday. If they attempted to do so they believe hundreds of delegates would depart for their homes.

#### Harmony Talk Is Growing.

The uninstructed delegates to this convention, or a vast majority of them, feel that their constituencies, the rank and file of the voters, believe that both President Taft and ex-President Roosevelt should be set aside and a new candidate selected. The foremost name among those mentioned as the compromise or harmony candidate is Associate Justice Charles E. Hughes of New York. Among the Roosevelt men Governor H. S. Hadley is a prime favorite, and for that matter Hadley is mighty well spoken of in the Taft camp.

Senator Kenyon of Iowa is still firmly convinced that Senator Cummins should be the compromise candidate for president, but it is difficult to note any substantiality to the Cummins boom. Of course Senator La Follette's friends continue to hope that he may run off with the prize, and La Follette has very many strong friends in the progressive wing of the Republican party.

It is positively known, notwithstanding any claims made to the contrary, that all that Roosevelt may now claim as his own for bolting purposes are the states of California and Pennsylvania. Senator Borah admitted today that Colonel Roosevelt and Mr. Flinn no longer consulted him, and he added: "If they want to bolt, let them do it and be through with it. I don't know what they are doing. Some people say that they do not know themselves what they are doing. If they call me in I will try to give them some sound advice which I know they won't follow. I believe, though, that Mr. Roosevelt and certain of his friends contemplate a bolt of some kind."

#### Not Likely to Bolt.

The best opinion today is that after further fighting over the report of the committee on credentials the Roosevelt adherents, after the verdict of the convention is rendered, will sit mum in their seats, just as the New York delegation did in the Democratic national convention of 1896 after the platform including the 16 to 1 silver plank was adopted in that convention. So certain are the anti-Roosevelt men that they have Colonel Roosevelt defeated that it became known that several of the colonel's friends had made overtures to the authorities of the convention that he should be allowed to address the convention. In the usual course of events this would require a majority vote of the delegates. Colonel Roosevelt was assured by those who could speak with certainty that if at any time he desired to address the convention the opportunity would be afforded for him to do so.

The Roosevelt delegates in session yesterday afternoon agreed to attend the convention to the end, but in case the credentials committee brings in a

### SENATOR BORAH

Aggressive Progressive Leader  
Rejects Colonel's Bolt Program.



report unfavorable to the Roosevelt delegates who were uneaten by the national committee, they further agreed they would take no part in the business of what they declare to be an illegal body. At this meeting, which was composed of two delegates from each Roosevelt state, it was further decided that after the Taft delegates have adjourned sine die the Roosevelt men will hold a rump convention of their own and nominate Theodore Roosevelt for president.

Somewhat earlier Colonel Roosevelt made a declaration over his own signature that he would accept such a nomination. He added the proviso that the feeling for his nomination must be general among the progressives. In that case he would run for the presidency on a progressive platform. The Illinois delegation of Roosevelt men, by a vote of 30 to 2, decided not to follow Colonel Roosevelt in any bolt or in any movement looking to a superceding convention. There are forty-eight Roosevelt men of the fifty-eight delegates for the state, and the sixteen Roosevelt men not present later declared themselves to be in full sympathy with those who voted not to bolt.

### NOTHING DOING

Third Day of the Convention Was an Utter "Waterhault."

Chicago, June 21.—Two brief—very brief—sessions of the Republican national convention were held yesterday, neither of which continued longer than the time necessary to make and pass a motion to adjourn. When the convention reassembled at noon it was announced that the credentials committee was not ready to report, and a recess was taken until 4 o'clock.

At that hour there was an air of expectancy manifested on the part of the crowd that filled every seat in the Coliseum. The various rumors that came from the Roosevelt camp and other sources that could not be traced had percolated through the entire town, natives, visitors and delegates, and all sorts of things were said to be about to happen and were expected to occur.

While nothing of real importance took place, the spectators witnessed a demonstration in favor of Roosevelt which made up in some degree for the brevity and perfunctory nature of the official sessions of the convention. The demonstration resulted in nothing and flayed died of sheer inanition after a brief existence of forty minutes. But while it lasted it was at least amusing and served to while away the time and allow the spectators to file out slowly into the rain storm that started just as the convention was called to order.

At 3:56 Chairman Root walked up on the platform and was at once greeted with a hearty outburst of applause from both spectators and delegates. The New York delegation was hearty in its cries of "Root, Root!" Mr. Watson of Indiana, the majority floor leader, was already on the platform, and he had a brief conference with Mr. Root.

At 4 p. m. Senator Root called the convention to order. A moment later Mr. Watson stepped in front of the chairman's table and said: "Mr. Chairman, inasmuch as the committee on credentials is not yet ready to report, and inasmuch as no business is in order until that committee shall have reported, I move that the convention do now adjourn until 11 tomorrow."

This statement was greeted with audible signs of disapproval on the part of both delegates and audience, and it was amid some confusion that the motion was put and carried. Many in the audience and among the delegates got to their feet and started as though to leave the hall, and the band struck up a march to get them out quickly.

Amid the noise of shuffling feet and the buzz of conversation and the loud "what a shame," and other similar remarks from the many ladies present, there suddenly came a cry of "We want Teddy!" It was taken up by others and for more than half an hour the great hall was the scene of uproar and cheers from the enthusiastic Teddy fans present.

Simultaneous operations by the rebel leaders Estenoz and Iyonet are reported to be under way on the north and south coasts of Cuba.

# MUCH DEPENDS ON BALTIMORE

## Third Party Might Follow Nomination of Conservative.

### THE COLONEL IS COGITATING

If Democrats Put Up Pronounced Conservative Then Would Be Time, the Colonel's Followers Say, For Him to Launch His Third Party, but For the Life of Them They Can't See Where the Money Is Coming From.

Chicago, June 21.—Those who have talked with Colonel Roosevelt on the situation interpret it to mean that he has abandoned all hope of being nominated by the Republican party. These were quoting his expression, "If there is to be a progressive party I will be in it, but we will have to see first if the people want such a party."

Men close to Colonel Roosevelt interpret this as meaning that the Roosevelt forces under the colonel's direction will not proceed to organize immediately after the Taft forces have finished their work. They predict that there will be an interval during which Colonel Roosevelt will take new political soundings. And they are inclined to believe that further aggressive action on his part will be delayed until after the Baltimore convention. These men say that if the Democratic convention should nominate a pronounced conservative, following the nomination of President Taft by the Republicans, the colonel would still have a chance as the candidate of a third party. They admit that such an experiment would be expensive and cannot see where the money will come from, unless success was probable.

Colonel Roosevelt has issued a statement in which he said that the decision of his delegates not to be bound by any action of the convention providing the "illegal" delegates are allowed to vote, was unanimous. He added: "This does not mean that all of them will bolt, but it means that they will reserve the right to do what they wish, and that they will take no active part in a convention where the fraudulent eighty are allowed to vote."

When the colonel was questioned about the attitude of his followers toward a nominee other than Mr. Taft, he said: "Any man elected by this convention as now composed will not be tolerated by the Roosevelt forces, according to the action taken at the delegates' meeting. And when I say 'any man' I mean exactly that."

As to what might come from the action decided upon by the Roosevelt delegates, the colonel said he could only say this: "If there is a progressive party, I will be in it. We will have to see first if the people want it."

### UNDISTURBED

#### The President Takes No Recognition of Compromise Talk.

Washington, June 21.—President Taft is absolutely unmoved by talk from Chicago of a "third man candidate," before the Chicago convention. He has refused to take the slightest recognition of the reports of compromise emanating from the convention except to authorize a denial of statements that Senator Crane had agreed to compromise on Senator Cummins.

Following an afternoon of isolation from the golf course, the president last night sat alone in his study at the White House. He received no callers and confined his discussions on the situation in the convention to long-distance conversations over the telephone with the Taft managers in Chicago.

Yet it was learned from an authoritative source that among the president's official family a compromise is regarded as within the range of possibility. Assurance was given by one of the few men close to President Taft left in the city, that if the president were once convinced that he could unite and save the party by withdrawing his name and agreeing to a compromise candidate, that he would prove unselfish enough to step aside.

### Negro Rebels Again Threatening.

Washington, June 21.—The Mississippi has left Guantanamo bay for Santiago to land marines near El Cuero. The dispatch of the Mississippi was ordered by Rear Admiral Usher, commanding the battleships at Guantanamo, upon news that several hundred negro rebels were threatening an attack on El Cuero.

### WEATHER EVERYWHERE

Observations of United States weather bureaus taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follow:

	Temp.	Weather
New York.....	73	Clear
Boston.....	70	Clear
Denver.....	48	Clear
San Francisco..	52	Clear
St. Paul.....	58	Clear
Chicago.....	60	Cloudy
Indianapolis...	69	Clear
St. Louis.....	76	Clear
New Orleans...	76	Cloudy
Washington...	74	Clear

Probably fair.

### NICHOLAS M. BUTLER

Columbia University President  
Whose Platform Was All Cut Up.



Chicago, June 21.—The platform being drawn up by the Taft forces in the convention will be ready some time today. The tentative draft of the Taft platform brought here by Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler has had to be changed so much that little of it will remain.

# BRYAN CHIEF FIGURE AT BALTIMORE MEET

## The Commoner's Influence Is Still Dominant.

Baltimore, June 21.—At the very outset of the national convention a bitter fight between the Bryan and anti-Bryan forces is now a certainty.

This fight against Bryan is to be brought on through the effort to name Judge Alton B. Parker of New York as temporary chairman. Eight members of the committee on arrangements of the national committee took the initial step in this struggle when they voted to present the name of Judge Parker for this honor.

The Champ Clark and the Woodrow Wilson men stood out against Judge Parker, dividing their eight votes among four candidates. The result was a tie, 8 to 8, between the Bryan and anti-Bryan forces.

An effort was made in the arrangement committee, after this 8 to 8 division, to make the selection of Judge Parker unanimous. A motion to this effect was made by one of the Parker men, but was voted down 9 to 7, one of the committeemen who had voted against Parker on the ballot having shifted in favor of harmonious action. One or two speeches were made by the Clark and Wilson people against the proposal to make the selection of Judge Parker unanimous. These speakers said that while they had great respect for Parker, they could not sacrifice their progressive principles to vote for him for temporary chairman. Furthermore, they said that his selection would be a great mistake for the party.

The fact that eight members of the committee of arrangements stood firmly by Judge Parker and thus threw down the gage of battle to Bryan, should be credited chiefly to Charles Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall.

The Democratic leaders have not invited this fight with Bryan without carefully canvassing the situation. The next step will be for the committee on arrangements to report the selection of Judge Parker by a plurality vote to the full national committee. This will be done at a meeting of the national committee here on Monday. Then some of Bryan's friends undoubtedly will move that the report of the committee on arrangements be rejected. That will bring up the fight. If the Parker selection is sustained by the national committee the fight undoubtedly will be carried to the floor of the convention.

### ROOT HOLDS ON

#### Temporary Chairman Indorsed as Permanent Head of Convention.

Chicago, June 21.—The Roosevelt men who remained in attendance at the session of the committee on permanent organization made a fight to delay on the report of the committee until the report of the committee on credentials had been received and acted upon by the convention. Governor Pennewill of Delaware, carrying out the Taft program, moved that the temporary organization be made the permanent one. Ira C. Copley, the Illinois member, put in a substitute calling for the committee to defer its action. The Roosevelt men held that action would be recognition of the fraudulent votes which the committee on credentials were passing upon. The motion was beaten, 22 to 7, and Senator Root will continue as presiding officer.

The house refused to concur in the senate amendments to the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, and the measure was sent to conference.

# MANY CONVICTS VIOLATE PAROLE

## Missing List Carries Nearly 500 Names.

### NOTABLE INSTANCE CITED

Identification Book Just Issued by the State Reformatory at Jeffersonville Contains Photographs and Descriptions of "Wanted" Men Who Have Slipped Their Paroles, Including the Notorious Herbert Gorham.

Jeffersonville, Ind., June 21.—The identification book just issued from the Indiana reformatory contains photographs and descriptions of about 500 "wanted" men, all except twenty-two being parole violators. Included in the list is the name of Herbert Gorham, one of the most notorious crooks who ever served time in the institution since it became a reformatory. Gorham has been reported dead, the information coming to a newspaper here in a letter purporting to be from his mother, who was supposed to have received word of her son's death in Mexico, but many officers have held this was a ruse of Gorham's to cause relaxation of the search for him.

Gorham was one of the notorious band which included Guy Van Tassel and Charles Hanson, the three being implicated in a series of burglaries and safe blowings at Indianapolis. Van Tassel and Gorham were captured in a raid on an Oliver avenue house in 1897 by Captain Adolph Asch, then a patrolman, and others, and Gorham came to the reformatory Feb. 21, 1898, to serve from two to fourteen years. He was transferred to the state prison after two years and was paroled Sept. 21, 1903, thereafter setting up as a musician in Laporte, Ind. There he became involved with a married woman and was named as codefendant in a divorce action and was returned to the reformatory. He was paroled again in 1905, taught music in Jeffersonville and was gaining a reputation when he disappeared, headed, it was believed, for Mexico.

### BIRD HANGS ITSELF

#### Canary Refuses to Eat When Boy That Petted It Goes Away.

Lawrenceburg, Ind., June 21.—Diamonds, an aged canary bird belonging to Thomas Nees, proprietor of a hotel here, is supposed to have committed suicide. The bird was found hanging in its cage by a piece of wrapping string. One end was fastened to its perch and the other end had been twisted several times around the bird's neck, and the owner is certain the bird intentionally killed itself. The bird was a great pet of Mr. Nees's son Freddie, and when the cage door was opened would fly on the boy's shoulder and eat from his hand. When the boy went to Indianapolis a few days ago to visit relatives, the bird refused to eat and drooped about in its cage. The bird's body will be mounted, as it is one of the finest specimens ever seen of the canary.

### A Plague of Rats.

Clay City, Ind., June 21.—The country hereabout is overrun by rats, which destroy whole broods of chicks or ducklings within a single night. At places they are so numerous about barns and stables that when horses are fed someone has to stand guard to keep them out of the feedtroughs that the horses may eat. A farmer, after placing the feed in the box for his horse, found twenty-three rats in the box.

### Probably Fatal Political Quarrel.

Evansville, Ind., June 21.—In a hotel lobby argument over politics, Edward Ross, clerk of the Richmond hotel, stabbed Charles Baker, a traveling man living at Boston, over the heart. Baker was arguing for Taft and Ross is an ardent Roosevelt man. The wounded man was hastened to a hospital in a serious condition. Ross, who came here originally from Kentucky, made his escape.

### TERSE TELEGRAMS

One man was killed and four were injured in a head-on collision between two automobiles at New York.

General Edward Stuyvesant Bragg, soldier, diplomat and once a national figure in politics, is dead at his home in Fond du Lac, Wis., aged eighty-five years.

The bankers for the six power group conferring at Paris have signed an agreement as to the terms upon which they will jointly lend the Chinese republic \$200,000,000.

The owner of the famous Crespi gallery, the most important private collection in Milan, has been authorized to dispose of its contents to purchasers from abroad.

The New Jersey court of errors and appeals has set aside the conviction of Allison M. MacFarland, under sentence of death for killing his wife with cyanide of potassium.

United States Judge Hanford at Tacoma has denied the motion for a rehearing in the case of Leonard Olsson, the Socialist, whose naturalization papers were revoked on the ground that they had been obtained by fraud.

### WALTER R. STUBBS.

Governor of Kansas and Prominent Roosevelt Supporter.



by American Press Association.

Not a Candidate, Says Hughes. Lake Placid, N. Y., June 21.—"Two days ago I declared that I was not a candidate for the Republican nomination for president. It is not necessary for me to repeat this." Supreme Court Justice Charles E. Hughes made the statement at his camp on Lake Placid. "I am not given to quibbling," he added, "and I stand on the statement I made Tuesday."

State Bar Association. South Bend, Ind., June 21.—The sixth annual meeting of the State Bar association will be held in South Bend July 10 and 12.

### THE NATIONAL GAME

#### Contests in the Three Big Leagues Noted Here at a Glance.

National League. R.H.E.  
At Cincinnati... 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 2—6 8 0  
Pittsburg... 2 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—4 14 3  
Cincinnati... 1 1 0 2 0 0 0 0 0—4 14 3  
Adams and Gibson, Cole and Kelly; Keefe, Gaspar and Clark.

Second Game—R.H.E.  
Pittsburg... 0 1 0 2 0 0 0 0 0—3 7 2  
Cincinnati... 0 0 0 2 3 0 0 0 0—5 5 1  
Hendrix and Kelly; Fromme, Severoid and Clark.

At St. Louis—R.H.E.  
Chicago... 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0—3 12 2  
St. Louis... 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1—4 13 1  
Lefield, Brown and Archer; Sallee and Wingo; Harmon and Bliss.

At Boston—R.H.E.  
New York... 2 2 5 2 0 1 2 0 7—21 19 1  
Boston... 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 1 10—12 15 3  
Wiltse, Shore and Meyers, Wilson Hartley; Brown, Donnelly, Hegg and Kling and Whitehouse.

At Brooklyn—R.H.E.  
Philadelphia... 3 0 1 0 0 0 2 0 0—6 7 2  
Brooklyn... 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0—2 8 0  
Chalmers and Killifer; Barger and Miller.

American League. R.H.E.  
Cleveland... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1—2 10 4  
Detroit... 0 0 2 1 1 0 3 0 0—7 6 1  
Kaler and Easterly; Lake and Stanage.

At New York—R.H.E.  
Boston... 2 4 1 3 1 2 2 0 0—15 16 2  
New York... 0 0 2 2 0 3 0 1 0—8 17 8  
O'Brien and Carrigan; Ford and Sweeney; Shears and Street.

At Philadelphia—R.H.E.  
Washington... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—5 1  
Philadelphia... 0 1 0 0 0 3 0 1 0—5 8 1  
Engle, Beebing and Williams; Plank and Thomas.

Second Game—R.H.E.  
Washington... 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 7 3  
Philadelphia... 1 0 4 2 0 1 0 0—8 11 1

American Association. R.H.E.  
At Kansas City, 13; St. Paul, 1.  
At Louisville, 11; Indianapolis, 7.  
At Toledo, 4; Columbus, 0. Second game, Toledo, 0; Columbus, 5.  
At Milwaukee, 6; Minneapolis, 2. Second game, Milwaukee, 6; Minneapolis, 5.

### THE MARKETS

#### Current Quotations on Grain and Live-stock at Leading Points.

Indianapolis Grain and Livestock.  
Wheat—Wagon, \$1.08; No. 2 red, \$1.06. Corn—No. 3, 77½¢. Oats—No. 2 white, 53½¢. Hay—Baled, \$14.00 @ 18.00; timothy, \$22.00 @ 24.00. Cattle—\$18.00 @ 20.00. Sheep—\$3.00 @ 3.35. Hogs—\$5.00 @ 7.75. Receipts—7,000 hogs; 1,300 cattle; 600 sheep.

Cincinnati Grain and Livestock.  
Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.11. Corn—No. 2, 75½¢. Oats—No. 2, 53¢. Cattle—\$4.00 @ 8.50. Hogs—\$5.00 @ 7.65. Sheep—\$1.50 @ 4.35. Lambs—\$3.00 @ 9.00.

Chicago Grain and Livestock.  
Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.09. Corn—No. 3, 74¢. Oats—No. 2, 54½¢. Cattle—Steers, \$4.00 @ 9.50; stockers and feeders, \$4.20 @ 6.75. Hogs—\$5.50 @ 7.65. Sheep—\$1.50 @ 6.40. Lambs—\$5.00 @ 8.10.

St. Louis Grain and Livestock.  
Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.07½. Corn—No. 2, 74¢. Oats—No. 2, 51½¢. Cattle—Steers, \$5.00 @ 9.35. Hogs—\$5.25 @ 7.65. Sheep—\$2.50 @ 5.25. Lambs—\$5.15 @ 8.25.

East Buffalo Livestock.  
Cattle—\$3.50 @ 9.35. Hogs—\$5.00 @ 8.00. Sheep—\$2.50 @ 5.50. Lambs—\$4.00 @ 9.25.

Toledo Wheat.  
Sept., \$1.13½; July, \$1.12½; cash, \$1.12½.



# BENNETT'S BIG Nine Cent Sale

## COMMENCING SATURDAY

Morning, June 22, and continuing until Saturday Night, June 29, we have rearranged our stock and will have tickets on most of our stock. This 9 Cent Sale includes all our 10 cent goods and some goods that sold for 15 cents, and will be sold as long as they last—nothing reserved. Our room is small and will not permit us to display all our goods as we would like to.

See what you can buy for  
the small sum of 9 cents:

1 yd. 17 inch Embroidery - -  
1 yd. of Dress Gingham - -  
1 Bleached Bath Towel - -  
2 Unbleached Towels - -  
1 20x40 Bleached Huck Towel -  
2 Spools Clark O.N.T. Thread -  
4 Packages Good Envelopes - -  
4 Ladies Handkerchiefs - -

9c

2 good Size Red Blue Hdks - -  
3 Boxes 1500 Best Matches - -  
3 Yards Vale Lace - - -  
2 Yards Torcheon Lace - - -  
1 String Beads - - -  
1 9 Inch Dinner Plate - - -  
1 Cup and Saucer - - -  
1 Of Each 6-7-8-9 Inch Nappies

9c

2 Ladies Extra Value Hdks. - -  
2 Packages Brass Pins - - -  
2 Ladies Vests - - -  
1 Ladies Vest Extra Value - -  
1 Box 2 In 1 Shoe Polish - -  
1 Bottle White Shoe Polish - -  
1 Bottle of Peroxide - - -  
1 large Red & Blue Hdks. - -

9c

1 Bread Pan any size - - -  
1 Large Frying Pan - - -  
1 Chair Bottom any size - - -  
1 24 Inch Rule Brass End - -  
1 Ladies Bonnet - - -  
1 Ladies Back Comb - - -  
4 Silk Hair Nets - - -  
All 10 & 15 cent Granite-ware -

9c

Time and space will not permit us to name any  
more of the many articles we have to show you.

# Bennett's Bazaar

North Chestnut Street

## COUNCIL ANSWERS DISTRESS SIGNAL

(Continued from first page)

This motion was carried by a vote of 6 to 1, Davison voting in the negative. Sherman Day reported that several crossings had been damaged by the heavy roller owned by Ewing Shields, and moved that Mr. Shields be notified to repair these crossings at once. The motion was carried unanimously.

It was also voted to put in 10-inch tile across several intersections on Walnut street so that if the property owners desired to extend the sewers, now constructed, it would not be necessary to tear up the brick on Walnut street.

The sewer on Ewing street was also discussed, and upon motion of Councilman Misch, Joseph Burkart, who has already begun the work, was given the contract to remove the old tile and laying a new sewer according to the specifications of the city engineer. He agreed to do the work for 25c per lineal foot.

Councilman Davison stated that John V. Dehler, who was given permission at a previous council meeting to repair his sidewalk in front of his property on Chestnut street with brick instead of concrete, has intended to use some material which he did not believe was in good condition. Sherman Day reported that he believed the brick would be satisfactory for several years and upon his motion a committee composed of himself and Mr. Buse were appointed by the mayor to take up the matter with Mr. Dehler and decide whether or not the brick would be satisfactory.

Several complaints have been made by property owners living on the outskirts of the city that the Seymour Public Service Company has refused to make connection for electric lights even after the dwellings had been wired, and Mr. Potter, Mgr. of the Seymour Public Service Company was asked to be present at the meeting in order that the matter might be taken up with him. It seems that several of the councilmen were under the impression that a discrimination was being made by the Seymour Public Service Company against patrons who had their houses wired by independent companies, and it was desired that certain provisions of the franchise should be discussed.

Councilman Davison stated that Mr. Potter had informed him that it would be impossible for him to attend the meeting but had assured him that there was no disposition upon the part of the company to discriminate against any one because of wiring and that service was being given to all persons where it was possible. He also stated that the poles on Second street, which had been ordered removed, were being taken down. It was further stated that the company was furnishing electricity for lighting purposes to all persons where a sufficient number resided in a block in order to justify the wiring of that block. Councilman Buse stated that he knew of several persons living in a single block who desired lighting connections but who had not been accommodated. It was pointed out that the franchise provides that any resident of the city should be accommodated provided the patron lives within 500 feet of a line already used. It was further stated that a grocery store in the south part of the city had made application for lighting accommodations several months ago but that such service had not been given although the store is located within 40 feet of a feed wire. Upon motion of Sherman Day, it was decided to have a copy of the franchise at the next meeting when the various provisions will be taken up and discussed.

Councilman Davison stated that it was necessary to remove the curb on two blocks of Walnut street in order that the new street could be given a proper crown. The curb is located on the east side of the street between Bruce and Laurel. He also recommended that the curb and guttering be hauled to the city park and that it be used there in making improvement. Misch stated that he could not see the economy of hauling the old curbing that distance, for by the time the teamsters were paid and the curbing is placed in position, it would be more expensive than having a new concrete curbing constructed. He thought it would be more advisable to break it up and place it upon some of the streets needed repairing.

Councilman Misch stated that several persons had connected water spouts with sanitary sewers, and he thought the council should take steps to prevent this as it was for this reason that the present sewers were unable to carry away the water during heavy rain storms. Upon motion of W. R. Day an ordinance will be drafted to prevent the sanitary sewers from being used for surplus water.

The Lodge of Eagles was granted the privilege of using the city park on Sunday, June 30 for Memorial exercises. Upon the motion of W. R. Day the railroad crossing on Tipton street at Blish's Mill was ordered repaired within ten days. The clerk was instructed to notify the B. & O. S-W. company to make this repair several weeks ago, but the work has not been done. Councilman Buse stated that the weeds and clover had grown over the property of the C. T. H. & S-E. Railroad Company and upon his motion the company was ordered to remove the same. W. F. Pfaffenberger by a communication asked that he be given further time to construct the curbing and gutter at his property on Fifth street, between Indianapolis avenue and Chestnut street, as he expected to build a driveway and make some other improvements within a reasonable time and if the curbing was built now it would mean an additional expense. The council, however, ordered the work done as first provided as all the other property owners had complied with the order and this was the only property which did not have the improved curbing. Carl Tevis, manager of the Mutual Telephone Company, was present, having been asked to attend the meeting to discuss the question of removing the telephone poles in the alley at the rear of the interurban station. At the present time there are twelve poles in the alley, and as it is being improved with brick it was desired to remove as many of these as possible. The city engineer thought that three poles would be sufficient to carry the wires, but Mr. Tevis stated that four poles should be used. At the present time the poles in the alley belong to the Mutual Company, the Central Union and the American Telephone and Telegraph Company. Mr. Tevis finally agreed to place the wires belonging to his company on the poles of the Western Union Co. A committee composed of City Engineer, Buse and Davison was appointed to view the conditions and decide how many poles were needed and to place them where they thought best.

The following claims were allowed:  
CLAIMS ALLOWED.

Sam Nisholson, garbage, . . . \$ 59.00  
R. J. Perkins, Sanitary Inspector . . . . . 12.00  
DeGolyer & Co., con. work . . 12.44  
Pomeroy & Manuel, con. work . 22.33  
N. C. Rucker, assisting city

engineer . . . . . 13.75  
Short & Kauffmann, con. work . 15.76  
David Foist, labor, . . . . . 16.50  
John Shannon, labor, . . . . . 16.35  
Wm. Ritter, labor, . . . . . 33.60  
Jasper Starks, labor, . . . . . 39.20  
Bain Carr, labor, . . . . . 39.20  
Gilbert Abell, labor, . . . . . 1.05  
Henry Wollery, labor, . . . . . 6.15  
August Karl, labor, . . . . . 16.50  
Claud Turley, labor, . . . . . 16.35  
Isaac Burrell, salary, . . . . . 21.00  
Wm. Aufenberg, labor, . . . . . 16.50  
Hugh Evans, labor, . . . . . 9.45  
Seymour Mfg. Co., stakes, . . . . 3.00  
Reinhart Grocery, supplies, . . . 40  
Carl Breitfield, hauling, . . . . . 50  
Jno. A. Goodale, inspector, . . 16.95  
Cordes Hdw. Co., supplies, . . . 44.55  
Odon McConnell, labor, . . . . 12.80  
Ira McConnell, labor, . . . . . 18.00  
Warren Hall, barn rent, . . . . . 1.50  
Telephone Co., . . . . . 3.00  
Postage . . . . . 3.00  
Seymour Republican Adv., . . . . 2.00  
J. T. Abell, prisoners, . . . . . 1.25  
Evan Snyder, meals, . . . . . 1.95  
Mrs. Constance, cleaning city hall . . . . . 9.00  
Bee Hive, supplies, . . . . . 6.00  
Settlement of Severinghaus case . . . . . \$140.90

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**Forty Suicides in May.**  
Ten Murders and 139 Accident Fatalities Shown By Statistics.  
Forty suicides, ten murders, 139 accidental deaths from the total of deaths from external causes in Indiana during the month of May, according to statistics compiled by the state board of health for its bulletin. The firearm as usual is the favorite weapon of both murder and suicide, as during May seven persons in Indiana, four of whom were women and four men, died from murderous gunshot wounds. Thirteen suicides were by shooting, eleven of these being men. Among the murders is one classified as "run over by automobile." Another death by murder was the result of being struck with a hatchet, and still another by being struck by a brick. The accidental death list was led by the steam railroads, with a total of thirty-one. Accidental falls were responsible for twenty-four deaths. Drowning caused twelve. Automobile accidents caused two deaths in that month. Marion county had twenty-nine deaths from external causes during the month. Lake county had ten, and Vigo eight.

The order of prevalence of disease in the State was as follows: Rheumatism, tonsillitis, measles scarlet fever, tuberculosis, typhoid fever, whooping cough, diarrhea, influenza, diphtheria, membranous croup, pneumonia, smallpox, malaria, chickenpox, erysipelas and cholera morbus. Tuberculosis caused 368 out of a total of 2,622 deaths in the state. One hundred and ninety-four children were made orphans by tuberculosis. The state's rural population of 1,652,917 had 1,267 deaths, the rate being 95. This is less than the total in the preceding month and less than in the corresponding month of last year, when the rate was 16.1 and 10 respectively. The cities, with a population of 1,117,599, reported 1,365 deaths, or a rate of 13.7. This is less than the rates for the preceding month and of the prior year when the rates were 16.1 and 13.9 respectively.

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**Woodstock Church.**  
There will be preaching Sunday evening by Rev. A. V. Rowland, co-pastor of the American Baptist Publication Society. All are invited to attend.  
Miss Lizetta Siener who has been trimmer in the Gold Mine Millinery Department this season, left Thursday evening for her home in North Vernon.  
Misses Georgia Massena and Helen Smith were here this morning on their way home from a visit with friends at Chestnut Ridge.  
**Drives Off a Terror.**  
The chief executioner of death in the winter and spring months is pneumonia. Its advance agents are colds and grip. In any attack by one of these maladies no time should be lost in taking the best medicine obtainable to drive it off. Countless thousands have found this to be Dr. King's New Discovery. "My husband believes it has kept him from having pneumonia three or four times," writes Mrs. George W. Place, Rawsonville, Vt., and for coughs and colds and croup we have never found its equal." Guaranteed for all bronchial affections. Price 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at The Andrews Drug Co., Seymour, Ind.

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The members of Scottsburg Lodge No. 555 I. O. O. F. have made final arrangements for the corner-stone laying of their new building tomorrow. The building is well under way, and when completed, will be the finest building in Scottsburg, costing in the neighborhood of \$15,000.00. The dedicatory exercises will be under the direction of Harry W. Carpenter, Deputy Grand Master of Indiana, and the actual work of laying the corner-stone will be performed by Frank Gardner. The ceremonies will begin at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. A number of Seymour Odd Fellows will attend, the party leaving on the 1 o'clock traction car which arrives in Scottsburg just in time for the exercises.

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**FRIDAY, JUNE 21, 1912.**

E. A. Michael, Curtis Baise and George Dixon of the B. & O. S-W., left this afternoon for St. Louis and Saturday will bring the special to the Democratic National Convention at Baltimore.

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### WILL ATTEND CONVENTION

Local Leaders of Democracy Will Go to Baltimore.

Several politicians of the democratic part will attend the Democratic national convention at Baltimore next week. Judge Joseph H. Shea, candidate for appellate judge from this district, left this morning. Among the other from this county who will attend are Mr. and Mrs. Seba A. Barnes, O. O. Swails and J. B. Thompson.

Banana and Vanilla ice cream for Sunday at the Little Gem. Phone 748. je22

Business Getters, "Republican Want Ads."

## CONTEST CASES ARE CONSIDERED

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sent had been given for Mr. McCormick to address the convention.

Governor Hadley read a resolution providing that no contested delegates be permitted to vote on the report of the credentials committee until after their cases had been voted upon and decided.

Former Representative James E. Watson, of Indiana, moved to table the motion of Governor Hadley. A roll call was then taken and the vote was 569 to 498 in favor of tabling the motion was recorded. This shows a gradual gain for the Taft forces as the vote Wednesday upon a motion was 564 for Taft forces and 510 for Roosevelt forces. Upon the first day a vote of 558 was given by the Taft forces and 502 for the Roosevelt forces.

### CASES DECIDED

#### Taft Has Majority on Credentials Committee.

Chicago, June 21.—The credentials committee of the Republican national convention remained in session all night.

When the Indiana contests had been disposed of the committee had decided the following contests in favor of the Taft delegates: Alabama, Ninth district, two delegates; Arkansas, Fifth district, two delegates; Arizona, delegates-at-large, six delegates; California, Fourth district, two delegates; Florida, six delegates-at-large and two each from the First, Second and Third districts; Georgia, four delegates-at-large. The vote on these cases showed that the maximum strength of the Roosevelt members of the committee was 34, the maximum Taft vote was 35. Other delegates, where contests were not reopened, were declared seated by a unanimous vote of the committee.

Thomas Hopewell was held up and robbed of his watch near the interurban station about 9:30 o'clock last night. The police searched the railroad yards and other places for the robber but were unable to locate him.

## Heart to Heart Talks.

By EDWIN A. NYE.

**HOPE SPRINGS ETERNAL.**  
You go home after your day's work tired, and it may be despondent. Things have gone wrong during your day.  
You pick up the evening paper. Strikes, lockouts, accidents, cruelties, oppression, injustice, grafting, betrayals, crime, divorces—the recital of it all makes you sick. You say in your heart:  
"Everything's wrong. What's the use?"  
But—  
Supper is ready, the good wife brightens up, and the children tell funny stories of the day's doings. By and by a change comes over the spirit of your dreams. After all, there is a lot of good in the world. Life is worth the living.  
Now—  
Perhaps you could not have helped your gloomy mood. Certainly in the reaction comes the cheerful view. You are built that way.  
Hope!  
It always was in the world. From the earliest ages men alternated between hope and fear. And always the fear has grown less and the hope larger.  
It is the great urge.  
Despite the clouds and darkness, forever do men aspire and struggle toward the light. Lest he die in despair, a man lives in hope. The urge of better things will not let him rest.  
Willingly or unwillingly, there is something in all of us that prompts us to the fight for the right and a better world to live in.  
It is the undying hope.  
Despite all our fears and all our tears we feel somehow the world must slope upward. There is "a power that makes for righteousness."  
And, moreover—  
Because of this immortal urge that is in us the world has grown, is now growing and will continue to grow better. It must be so.  
And so our dreams—  
We dream of the day when all men shall have an equal chance, of a day when gold no longer shall be god, of a day when nation will not lift up sword against nation.  
Our dreams?  
In our better moments, all of us dream of that some sweet day when Justice shall walk hand in hand with Mercy; when Pride shall stoop to kiss her sweeter sister, Humility; when in every land and on every sea man shall meet his fellow man and say to him, "My brother;" when every woman shall meet her fellow woman, however fallen, and say to her, "My sister."  
And thus we dream and hope and labor.

### BUILDING DAMAGED

#### Barn Near Clearspring is Struck by Lightning and is Destroyed.

A heavy wind and electrical storm passed over the west part of the county Thursday night and considerable damage was done. The storm center seemed to be in Owen township where the greatest damage was reported.

The fierce gale tore off the roof of the home of Preston Wineinger of Clearspring. Lightning struck a barn belonging to Orville Curry four miles west of Clearspring and was destroyed by fire. The roof was ready to fall before it was known that the barn was on fire. Mr. Curry was not at home at the time the barn was struck. Several large trees were blown down and the farmers fear that the wheat has been damaged by the wind.

The wind did little damage in this part of the county, although a heavy rain fell. There was quite an electrical display, but no damage was done.

Ed Hoover had his left hand painfully injured this morning by being kicked by a horse.

Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford Leatherman left Thursday afternoon for their new home in Dayton, O.

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- POST CARDS PER DOZEN 10c.

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- 1500 Votes with every \$2 Arch Support.
- 2000 Votes with every \$3 Arch Support.

Take advantage of this liberal offering and have your friends, if in need of any of these articles, buy them NOW as it will mean a boost for you. REMEMBER this special vote offer stands good on above articles only for the balance of this week

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on East 2nd St. is one of the places in Seymour where a dollar does its duty. If you are not now trading here, sooner or later you will for our prices on staple merchandise are tempting to everyone. It is easy for us to sell for less when you understand that I have 3 large stores using as many goods as any concern in Southern Indiana which enables us to buy in quantities, thereby getting lowest prices.

- Sugar, best Granulated or extra C per lb..... 5½c
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- 10c can Rubbers, 2 dozen for..... 15c
- 5c can Rubbers 3 for..... 10c
- Porcelain lined Fruit Jar Lids per dozen..... 15c
- Kiss-Me Chewing Gum 2 for..... 5c
- 1 box 25 double sheets of Tangle Foot for..... 30c
- Jersey Corn Flakes, package..... 13c or 2 for 25c
- International Binder Twine, either Standard or Sisal per lb..... 8c
- Plain Tag Twine, lb..... 7½c
- Best No. 1 Harvester Oil per gal..... 35c
- Binder Whips, each..... 50c
- Binder and Mower Sections, each 5c
- 22 Short Cartridges per box..... 11c
- Wire fencing, nails and salt on hands in ear load lots, screen doors and screen wire if bought here will save you 20 per cent.
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### PERSONAL.

Mrs. J. L. Riehm went to Louisville this morning.

Mrs. George H. Moore spent today in Louisville.

Miss Esther Bush is visiting relatives in Milan.

J. H. Matlock was in Indianapolis today on business.

F. M. Peek made a business trip to Indianapolis today.

Mrs. G. H. Anderson went to Indianapolis this afternoon.

Miss Stella Ball was here from Brownstown this morning.

Mrs. Howard Smith and sons were here from Medora this morning.

Mrs. A. W. Mills returned this morning from a visit in Madison.

Attorney F. H. Jones of Columbus was here this morning on business.

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Manuel of Freetown were in Seymour today.

Miss Mary Lee Galbraith went to Hope this morning to visit relatives.

Miss Irene McGinnis of Cincinnati came this afternoon to visit her sister, Mrs. Frank Bush.

Mrs. Harry Yost of Vallonia, was here this morning enroute to Indianapolis to visit relatives.

Misses Ethel Kennedy and Nellie Borman of Brownstown were in Seymour Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Andrew Roy and children returned to Wheatland this morning after visiting Mrs. W. E. Weller.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas have gone to Indianapolis to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Thomas.

Mrs. L. D. Banks and Mrs. Matthew Williams of Clinton, Ill., came this morning to visit Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Pease.

Mrs. J. W. Hustedt and children returned home Thursday afternoon after spending a week with relatives in Vincennes.

Misses Claudine and Cleo Livesay returned to their home in Evansville this afternoon after visiting Mrs. Anna Cross and family.

Mrs. George Schuler and children of Crothersville, were here this morning on their way to Brownstown to visit Mrs. Henry Kattman.

Mrs. Sudie Wilson and son who have been spending the week with Miss Myrtle Bennett, returned to her home in Sparksville today.

### Cylinder Head Blown Out.

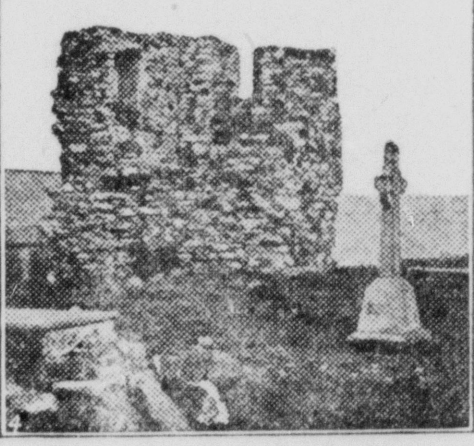
An east bound B. & O. S-W. freight engine blew out a cylinder head at North Vernon this afternoon. The train was just approaching the depot when the explosion occurred, throwing the cylinder across the street and causing quite a commotion in our neighboring city. The engine was backed on a switch so that No. 11 could pass and will be taken to the shops at Washington for repairs.

### Camp Meeting.

The Jackson County Holiness Association will hold their annual camp meeting in the city park from July 5 to 15. Rev. Culp of Battle Creek, Mich., will have charge of the meeting and Rev. and Mrs. M. T. Brandyberry the singing.

### New peaches, new apples, red and black raspberries, blackberries, asparagus, cauliflower, head lettuce, tomatoes, Mayes'.

# RELIC OF FIFTH CENTURY



On the Island of Bardsey, in the Irish sea, is a ruined tower that is a relic of the fifth century, being a memorial to the thousands of "saints" who are buried there, according to tradition. The island in ancient times had a great reputation for sanctity, and its abbey was the scene of many pilgrimages. To be buried in its soil was a thing much to be desired, and it is believed that more than 50,000 "saints" gained this privilege.

### VALENTINE COLLECTIONS

A collection of 150,000 valentines made by an Islington stationer named King has been offered by him to the British museum. Some of the valentines are elaborate, comprising 750 parts, with prices at \$50 and higher. All these valentines were printed prior to the beginning of the present century.

### MARS CANALS SEA GREEN

Photographs of the planet of Mars, taken in their natural colors at a Russian observatory, show that the canals are a sea green, and that the poles are covered with ice and snow.

# Men's, Youths' and Boys' Underwear.

Men's Overalls, Work Shirts, Dress Shirts, Suspenders and Hose.

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Hose.

Ladies' Undermuslins.

Embroidery, Lace, Neckwear, Towling, Handkerchiefs, Muslins, Shirts, Gingham, etc.

Prices very low in Dry Goods Dept.

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### SOCIAL EVENTS.

#### MARRIED.

##### JOHNSON-STEVENS.

The many friends of Miss Nelle Johnson of Brownstown, were greatly surprised to learn of her marriage to Mr. Mack Stevens of this place, Thursday afternoon, at the Christian parsonage at 3 o'clock by Elder D. L. Milligan. They were attended by Miss Bessie Dowden and Mr. Ed Dobkins. The mother of the bride, Mrs. Jennie Johnson, entertained with a 6 o'clock dinner in their honor Thursday evening. Those present were, Mrs. Lydia Herner and son of Indianapolis, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Johnson and daughter, Misses Bessie Dowden, Stella Ball, Blanche Cunningham, Ethel Ball, Kate Johnson, Florence Heller, Maude Johnson of Brownstown, Mrs. Mary Moreland, Clarence Ball, Archibald Johnson, Miss Grace Ball of Brownstown, and Ed. Dobkins of Seymour.

#### Miscellaneous Shower.

Mrs. Otto Ahlbrand, Mrs. Fred Droegge and Mrs. Ephraim Ahlbrand gave a miscellaneous shower at the home of the latter Thursday, in honor of Miss Lillian Brunow, who is soon to become the bride of Frank Zabel of Brownstown.

The affair was a surprise and Miss Brunow was invited to the Ahlbrand home to spend the evening and about fifteen friends called later, bringing many beautiful and useful presents. A number of interesting games and contests were enjoyed. Refreshments were served.

#### Cabin Party.

A very pleasant outing is being enjoyed by a company of people at Peter's cabin. The party went to the cabin yesterday afternoon and will remain until Monday. Among those in the company are Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bollinger, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Bollinger, Misses Nell Phelan and Lora Cordes, W. G. Masters, Edwin Heuser, Cyril Charles and Don Bollinger, Mr. and Mrs. John Graham, of Edinburg, Mr. and Mrs. Will Atkins and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Atkins, of Indianapolis, Miss Nancy Hadley of Danville and Miss Alove Trout of Shelbyville.


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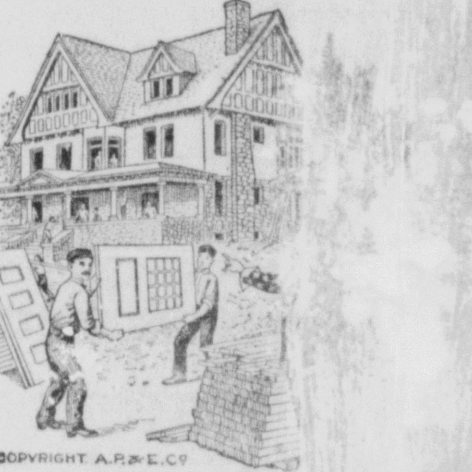
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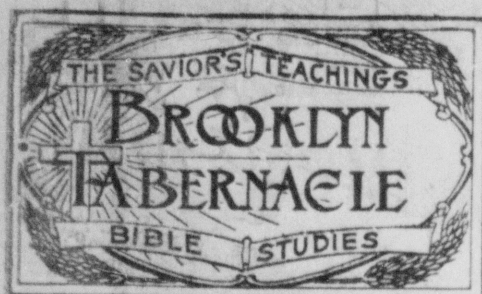
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## AND SHE WAS A SINNER.

Luke vii, 36-50—June 23.

"Pentful is the saying, and worthy of all acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners."—1 Timothy 4, 15.

THE GOSPEL OF CHRIST is the Message of Divine compassion toward sinners. All religions recognize sin and propose reconciliation with God—by works of charity, by voluntary self-torture, or by future torments. None of the heathen gods have any touch of sympathy for humanity. The Bible alone tells of a God touched with the feeling of human infirmities; "God commendeth His love toward us in that while we were yet sinners Christ died for the ungodly."—Romans v, 8.

Divine grace has been still further manifested in the invitation to a "little flock," to be justified by faith and sanctified by the High Priest's offering of them, and thus to become New Creatures, joint-heirs with Jesus in His Kingdom. Still the Scriptures tell of God's pursuing Love and Mercy. He is unwilling that any should perish, but "This woman hath anointed My feet." It is for this purpose that Messiah's Kingdom will be established with full power. In due time it will bring the salvation for which the poor, groaning creation has so long waited. It will come with the manifestation of the Sons of God.—Romans viii, 19.

## A Woman Who Was a Sinner.

Who can read the Gospel narratives without realizing that Jesus was a "Friend of sinners," as was charged by the Pharisees? And is not this the feature of the Bible which specially commends it? With the exception of willful sinners, whom we must hope are few, there comes a time when sin is seen in its true color and is detested. Then is the time when the Gospel Message from the Friend of sinners specially appeals. All seem to know instinctively that Jesus stands ready to be the Helper of all who come to the Father through Him.

Jesus had accepted an invitation to a Pharisee's house. The dinner had begun. After the custom, they reclined upon low tables or couches.

While the dinner was progressing, a woman "who was a sinner," a harlot, deeply penitent, entered. She had in her hand some precious perfume, with which she intended to anoint the Saviour's feet. Her heart was full, and tears gushed from her eyes upon His feet; she was dishonoring the very feet she intended to honor.

Loosening her hair, the woman used it as a towel, regardless of the fact that it was considered dishonorable to let down her hair in public; she dried the feet and poured the precious perfume as an honor to the One from whom she had heard "wonderful words of life."

## Two Debtors and Their Love.

The host of the occasion watched Jesus to see how He would receive this devotion, saying in his heart, If this

Man were a prophet, He would know that the woman is disreputable. He would bid her not to touch Him. Jesus knew his thoughts and answered, "A certain creditor had two debtors, one owed five hundred pence and the other fifty. Neither could pay and he forgave them both. Which of them will love him most?" The Pharisee replied, "I suppose he to whom most was forgiven." Jesus agreed with him.

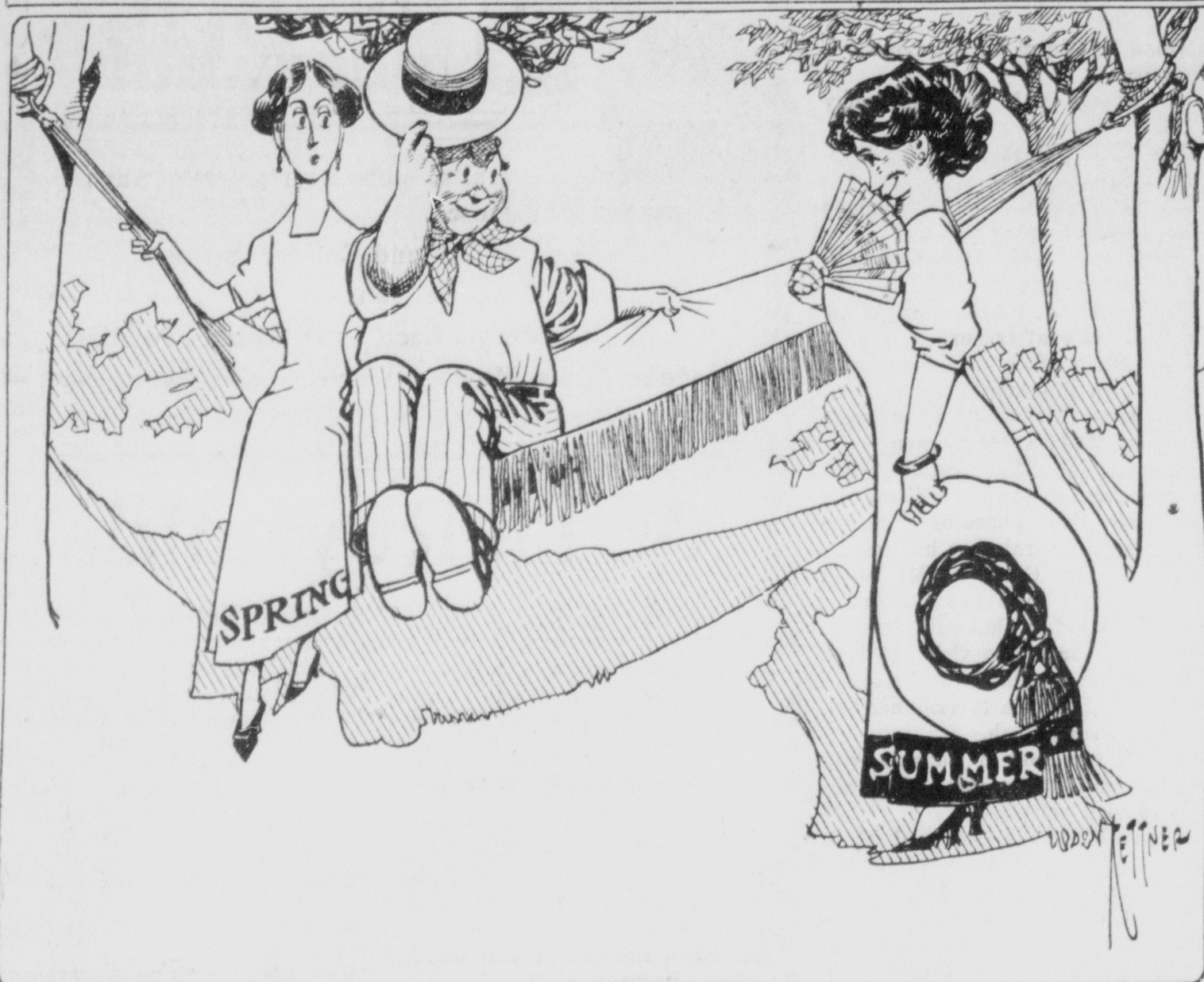
Then Jesus made application of the matter; turning to the woman, He said to His host, Seest thou this woman, who washed my feet with her tears and wiped them with her hair? You are the host of the occasion, yet you did not offer Me water for the washing of My feet, as is customary in our land to do to those whom we desire to honor. You gave Me no kiss, but this woman has repeatedly kissed My feet. "You did not anoint My head with oil, yet she hath anointed My feet. There are, her sins, which are many, are forgiven, for she loved much; but to whom little is forgiven, the same loveth little." And He said to the woman, "Thy sins are forgiven."

Is not this to some extent an illustration and an explanation of the fact that the majority of those who love the Lord most are such as realize their own sinful and fallen condition most and appreciate most the forgiving love of God manifested in Jesus? Is it not true today also that those who are most moral have correspondingly less love?

This should not be the case, however. The less degraded ought naturally to be the more able to love and to appreciate Divine goodness and love and the more willing to present their little all in Divine service.

Those present inquired, Who is this that even forgives sins? The only satisfactory answer is that He is the Redeemer of the world. He was then in process of rendering up His sacrifice according to His covenant; He had authority, therefore, to tell the woman that her sins were forgiven.

## OH! SEE WHO'S HERE!



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## Sunday School Lesson

Lesson XII. June 23

WITHSTANDING EVIL. Eph. 5 : 11-20

GOLDEN TEXT.—Wine is a mocker, strong drink is raging.—Prov. 20:1.

This anointing of Jesus by a penitent woman is recorded only by Luke. There is another anointing later in His ministry which is recorded by Matthew, Mark and John, but not by Luke. That was at Bethany, and Mary, the sister of Martha, anointed Him for his burial. This was probably at Nain, and the name of the woman is not given. Both anointings were in the houses of men called Simon, but the one is called Simon the Pharisee and the other Simon the leper. In today's lesson the woman washed His feet with penitential tears, wiped them with her hair, kissed them and anointed them. At Bethany Mary anointed His head as well as His feet, but there is no record of her washing them. They are manifestly two wholly different incidents at different times and in different places, but Jesus Christ Himself is the center in each, as He is in all the Bible, and everywhere and at all times revealing God the Father. In our lesson He is in the house of one who knew Him not nor treated Him with common courtesy, as we learn from the words of Jesus in verses 44-45, "Thou gavest me no water for my feet; thou gavest me no kiss; my head with oil thou didst not anoint." At Bethany He was in the house of those who loved him. This Pharisee reminds us of the one in chapter xviii, 11, 12, and in verse 30 of our lesson chapter we read that "the Pharisees and lawyers rejected the counsel of God against themselves." In chapter xvi, 14, it is said that the Pharisees derided Him and His teaching. He went wherever He could do good and heal a sick soul or a diseased body, never thinking of Himself or of His unkind treatment by others. He did not hesitate to touch the world in any form for its good, but He was as separate from it as light from darkness. He came to save sinners, to seek and to save the lost, and inasmuch as He Himself said, "There is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner that repenteth" (Luke xv, 20), He was no doubt full of joy when He found any one like this woman, or the woman of Samaria, or Nicodemus, or Zaccheus, or the penitent thief, willing to be saved. Perhaps she had heard His "Come unto me" or His words to another, "Daughter, be of good comfort; thy faith hath made thee whole" (Matt. xi, 28; ix, 22). Somehow she had heard and beloved and had wasted her opportunity to thank Him. Now it had come within her reach, and she hastened to do all that was in her heart. It mattered not to her that the house was that of Simon the Pharisee; she was not thinking of either Simon or his house, but of just one person who had made her blind to all but Himself. She knew her sin better than Simon did, and so did He to whom she had now come. How unusual such tears and such devotion, and how refreshing all must have been to Him. She washed His feet with her tears, but He had washed her soul by His precious blood, soon to be shed for her. See her humility, at His feet behind Him; see her contrition, weeping over His feet and thinking how her own had wandered. Some one has said that the essence of her heart was distilled to bathe His feet and the glory of her head unbound to furnish Him with a towel. Had she kingdoms to give they would have

been laid at His feet, but she did her best, and He accepted. She did not send by another. She rendered personal gratitude. She was so occupied with Him that Simon's frowns were nothing to her. There is no record of a word she uttered; but, oh, how the tears, the disheveled hair, the precious ointment, did talk for her! She had no thought of calling any one's attention to her; she cared for no one's opinion; she was endeavoring to thank Him. He accepted her gratitude. He looked at her. He took her part. He spoke to her and said to her, "Thy sins are forgiven; thy faith hath saved thee; go in peace" (verses 48, 50). Her name we know not, but it is written in heaven (Luke x, 20). May the joy of sins forgiven be a reality to us and a whole souled devotion to Him be seen in our daily lives. Simon thought that he knew her, but that Jesus did not know her, whereas Jesus knew both of them as they did not know themselves. He would have saved Simon as readily as He did the woman if Simon had confessed himself a sinner, but there is neither salvation nor a Saviour for self righteous people. He came not to call the righteous, those who think they are righteous, but for all who know themselves sinners and bankrupt there is salvation. Many who are called Christians seem never to have been forgiven much, for there is no devotion to Him in their lives. How very different the devotion of this one, or the woman of Samaria, or Paul, or Peter, or John! Why are we not constrained by such love as His? Do we know Him?

## THE LESSON QUIZ.

June 23, 1912.

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The Penitent Woman. Luke vii:36-50 Golden Text—Faithful is the saying and worthy of all acceptance that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. 1 Tim. i:15.

(1.) Verse 36—What are the advantages or disadvantages of a generous offhand hospitality?

(2.) What was the attitude or position of the guests when partaking of a meal?

(3.) Verses 37-38—This was or had been a woman of ill fame. Would you say that she had been converted by Jesus before this, or was this her first approach to him?

(4.) How would such a woman obtain entrance to this Pharisee's house?

(5.) What did anointing the feet of another indicate in those days?

(6.) What prompted this woman to lavish such costly ointment upon Jesus feet?

(7.) Would you say, and why, that this woman after being forgiven was just as pure and holy as if she had never been such a sinner? (This is one of the questions which may be answered in writing by members of the club.)

(8.) What, if any, evidence is there that such women are being or may be as thoroughly saved today?

(9.) Verse 39—If a like woman today with a similar spiritual experience should show similar affection toward an evangelist who had been the means of her conversion, what would be thought of it?

(10.) How much can you blame this Pharisee for having doubtful thoughts of Jesus for allowing a woman of ill fame to kiss his feet?

(11.) What, if any, reason is there to suppose that if a virtuous woman had been converted by Jesus that she would have publicly manifested her love in a similar way?

(12.) Verses 40-43—What are the rea-

sons for supposing that, as a general rule, the greatest sinners when converted become the greatest saints?

(13.) Which has the greater capacity for loving God, a virtuous woman who becomes a Christian or a thoroughly converted fallen woman?

(14.) Is it or not, and why, a general rule that those who have been forgiven most love most?

(15.) On what conditions will God forgive one who is a very great sinner; also one who is an ordinary respectable sinner?

(16.) Verses 44-46—Which are the more loving, generous and hospitable, those whose hearts are warm with the love of Jesus or other Christians of cooler temperament? Give your reason.

(17.) Verses 47-48—If a person loves Jesus, is that alone a guarantee that his sins are forgiven? Why?

(18.) Does Jesus mean that people love in proportion to the greatness of their sins, or what does he mean?

(19.) Verses 49-50—Can you wonder at the surprise they expressed at a man forgiving sins, and what is the answer to their objection?

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# YELLOW LETTER

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## SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I—Harding Kent calls on Louise Farrish to propose marriage and finds the house in great excitement over the attempted suicide of her sister Katharine. Kent starts an investigation and finds that Hugh Crandall, suitor for Katharine, who had been forbidden the house by General Farrish, had talked with Katharine over the telephone just before she shot herself. A torn piece of yellow paper is found, at sight of which General Farrish is stricken with paralysis.

## CHAPTER II.

## Our First Clue.

Louise and I sat at dinner together. Isn't it strange in this world of ours how the commonplace follows on the terrible, how the usual and the unusual intermingle, how the clock ticks on when the whole universe seems to be tumbling about our heads! In one of the rooms up-stairs lay Katharine, still unconscious, with a doctor and a nurse constantly at her side. The bullet had been removed, and while it had penetrated the brain some slight distance, Doctor Wilcox said there was just a chance—the barest chance—that she might recover. It might, however, be hours, he explained, before she regained consciousness—if she ever did.

In another of the rooms lay General Farrish, more dead than alive. Paralysis had deadened his limbs and tied his tongue. Only his eyes seemed alert. Most of the time since the stroke had felled him he had been slumbering heavily, not with the sleep of health or weariness but with the coma of disease. In the moments when he was awake and seemed conscious his eyes still had the look of terror that we had seen just before he was stricken. Coupled with this look of fear was an indefinable expression of entreaty, as if there was something he would ask and could not. Anxious as Louise and I were to learn what it was that was troubling him, the doctor forbade our making any effort to do so, and made us leave the room, where he had put a second nurse in charge.

While the bustle of caring for the two stricken ones lasted there was little time for thought, and I was glad for the activity that kept Louise's mind distracted. Just at the moment when it seemed that everything had been done and there was nothing left but the anxious waiting—waiting for the worst—the butler had tiptoed in to summon us to dinner. Bravely, at first, Louise and I made pretense of eating, each trying to encourage the other, but the unforgettable events of the afternoon, the missing faces at the table and the sorrow that filled us both made food impossible. Drawing our chairs together, we discussed in whispers the baffling mystery of Katharine's attempted suicide and her father's strange terror.

On the table before us lay the scrap of yellow paper, the sight of which had so agitated General Farrish. As soon as he had been carried into his own rooms I had hastened to rescue it from the floor. I felt that, insignificant as it appeared, it must have some important connection with the events of the afternoon. Yet as Louise and I puzzled over it, there seemed nothing sinister in the fragments of sentences that the flames had left all but indecipherable.

The paper, of a peculiarly yellowish tint, was hardly more than two square inches, the torn corner of a folded letter. On it we could make out these words:

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a sister t  
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As we studied the bit of type-writing, word by word, we tried to trace in it some hidden meaning, some sinister warning, something or anything that would connect it with poor Katharine's mental distress and her father's poignant terror. That the letter of which this was a part had been in Katharine's possession was evident from the place where I had picked up the fragment. It was equally certain that it had been her purpose to destroy it. On the other hand, General Farrish, too, must have known of the existence of this letter, else why did he show such terror at the mere sight of a scrap of it? It must have been part of some document that had made a vivid impression on his mind. More than likely, we felt, whatever the letter was, it had played some part in the quarrel between Katharine and her father the afternoon before she dismissed Hugh Crandall.

We ran over all the words we could think of that begin "ba," trying to fit one to the phrases following—back, bar, ban, bank, bankruptcy, basin, barrel, barren, battle—there were too many of them. We gave it up and passed on to the next phrase, "used se—" It proved equally puzzling. We could make nothing out of it, but the third line at least was definite enough for discussion.

"A sister—" said Louise. "That makes it certain that this letter did not apply in any way to father, for he never had a sister. He was an only child."

I was not so positive as she that the letter did not apply to the general. The thought came to me that perhaps even in the proud Farrish family there might have been some girl child of unblemished birth whose existence had been kept secret from Louise. Perhaps some knowledge of this sort had come to Katharine and the letter referred to it. I refrained from suggest-



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ing such a theory, for I felt it would be the height of cruelty even to hint such a thing to Louise at a time when the father was helpless to explain. Yet the following phrase, "seemed inevitable," might well fit into some theory such as this, followed as it was in the next line with the word "disgrace."

For a moment I felt that I was on the track of the solution of the mystery. Some specter from the general's past had risen to haunt his declining years, to threaten his good name, to worry him into his grave. His elder daughter had discovered it and had been unable to carry the burden of shame. Could this have been the secret that these two shared and kept Louise in ignorance of? A word from Louise all at once upset my theory.

"I wonder," she said, "if this isn't part of a letter about Hugh Crandall."

Both she and I were convinced that in some way Crandall was involved. My theory would not account for his connection with the case and I at once abandoned it, listening intently to one Louise advanced.

"There must have been some connection between his having telephoned her and what she did this afternoon. Before she shot herself she burned this letter, or most of it. Father must have known about the letter, so I am certain that it concerned Crandall."

"Has Crandall a sister?"

"I do not know," said Louise. "I know nothing about his family. It seems strange, too, when for months and months we saw so much of him. I do not recollect his ever having mentioned any of his relatives."

My brain recorded a victory for woman's intuition over man's logic. Her theory seemed infinitely better than mine. After all it was absurd to suspect a skeleton in the life of a man like General Farrish, who had been constantly under public scrutiny for many years. It was much more probable that the letter referred to some incident in the life of Crandall, something so discreditable that the general had been forced to forbid Katharine having anything to do with him. This theory would account for the quarrel between father and daughter, for Crandall's reticence about his family, for Katharine's distress, and naturally the sight of the letter that had caused all the trouble would upset the general. I began to see a plan for action.

"Louise, dear—" How quickly adversity strips off conventionality and puts us where our hearts would have us! "Louise, dear," I said, "it will probably be days before either your father or Katharine will be able to give us any assistance, yet the knowledge that everything has been cleared up, that the specter has been driven away, undoubtedly would hasten the recovery of both. So I feel that we must go ahead."

"Oh, Harding," she breathed. Her hand stole out and sought mine. "What a comfort you are to me! What would I have done this afternoon without you! You're right, dear, we must solve this awful mystery at once. We must."

"The first thing for me to do," I went on, "is to find Hugh Crandall. He can probably tell us all about this letter. Even if he can't he can say why he telephoned Katharine and where she went this afternoon. When we have learned this much we shall at least have made a good start. The next thing will be to trace the letter. If Crandall does not know about it, we will try to learn from whom it came."

"That's impossible," objected Louise. "Haven't we looked everywhere in Katharine's room for the envelope in which it came. I am positive that she burned it. Without the envelope you can never discover where it was mailed or to whom it was addressed."

"I'm not so sure about that. The post office has wonderful ways of tracing mail. One of the inspectors is a friend of mine and we will enlist his help. But first I must find Crandall. Probably he can tell us everything if he will. Do you know where he lives?"

"He has bachelor apartments somewhere along the avenue, I don't know just where. I know his place of business."

"I know that, too, but it is useless to try to find him there tonight."

"Katharine used to send all her notes to one of his clubs where he received his mail—I think it was the University."

"Come into the library," said I, "we can quickly locate him."

I stopped in the hall to examine the telephone book, hoping it might give him his home address, but it contained only the office of his firm. However, I had no difficulty in finding in the library the volume I sought—the club directory—and turning to his name I saw that he was a member at both the University and the Harvard.

As I was a member of the University myself I had no difficulty in getting Crandall's address over the telephone. Loath as I was to leave Louise alone, I felt that prompt action was demanded, so I took my departure at once.

"If I find Crandall I will bring him back with me so that you may hear all he has to say. Whether or not I succeed, I will return within an hour. My friend, the post office inspector, lives somewhere out in Jersey, but I will see him the first thing in the morning."

The grateful look Louise gave me as I left imbued me with a new and wholly delightful sense of responsibility. The ten minutes it took me to reach Crandall's rooms were filled with that incoherent bliss that comes to every man who realizes for the first time what it means to have a woman's confidence entirely his.

Crandall lived in one of those remodeled mansions so common in that part of Fifth avenue from which the families have fled before the advance of trade. The basement and first floor were given over to shops and the upper floors to bachelor apartments. I had no difficulty in finding among the door-plates the name I sought, but repeated ringing brought no response. Determined not to leave until I had learned his whereabouts I gave the janitor's bell a vigorous push.

"Where can I find Mr. Crandall?" I asked as soon as he appeared.

His manner made it evident that he considered my question an impertinence, but I had met Fifth avenue janitors before.

"I am a lawyer," I persisted. "I must see Mr. Crandall tonight on an important matter."

"You won't," he replied, almost gleefully it seemed to me.

"Why not?" I demanded sharply. "What do you mean?"

My manner was not without its effect.

"He's gone away," the man explained a little more respectfully.

"Gone!" I exclaimed. Here was a new mystery, or perhaps the explanation of the first one. It may have been his departure that had depressed Katharine so.

"Where has he gone? When did he go? How long will he be away?" I volleyed.

Exasperatingly he delayed his reply. At last it seemed to occur to him that I was not making these inquiries purely for his amusement. Somewhat more politely than at first, he answered: "Only an hour or two ago—about three o'clock it was—he came rushing down into my room with his keys in his hand. 'Mike,' says he, 'I'm going away tonight. I may be gone a week and I may be gone a month. I don't know how long. Here are my keys and don't let nobody into my rooms while I'm away, on any pretext whatever.' And wid that he was into a taxicab and off before I could be saying my thanks for the bill he left in my hand."

Crandall suddenly gone, Katharine dying by her own hand, General Farrish stricken, all within two hours. I knew now there must be some connection between these events. More than ever I was anxious to find Crandall, yet I felt that the janitor had told me all he knew. I could see in the young broker's departure guilty knowledge of the shadow descending on the Farrish home. Surely his flight was confession.

There was nothing to be gained by further questioning of the janitor. From the manner of Crandall's departure it would be useless to look for him at either of the clubs to which he belonged. I might try to trace him through the taxicab, which he had probably called from the University Club near by, but that could wait until later. Just now I felt it my duty to hasten back to Louise and tell her of this new development.

As I turned from the door a newsboy with an armful of evening "extras" thrust one at me. Impatiently I waved him away.

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NORTHBOUND	—Daily—	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3
Lv. Seymour	7:30 a. m.	11:30 a. m.	4:30 p. m.	8:30 p. m.
Lv. Bedford	7:58 a. m.	11:58 a. m.	4:58 p. m.	8:58 p. m.
Lv. Odon	9:07 a. m.	12:07 p. m.	5:07 p. m.	9:07 p. m.
Lv. Elora	9:17 a. m.	12:17 p. m.	5:17 p. m.	9:17 p. m.
Lv. Beehunter	9:33 a. m.	12:33 p. m.	5:33 p. m.	9:33 p. m.
Lv. Linton	9:48 a. m.	12:48 p. m.	5:48 p. m.	9:48 p. m.
Lv. Jaxsonville	10:20 a. m.	1:30 p. m.	6:20 p. m.	10:20 p. m.
Ar. Tr. Haute	11:15 a. m.	4:25 p. m.	9:40 p. m.	
SOUTHBOUND	—Daily—	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3
Lv. Tr. Haute	6:00 a. m.	10:45 a. m.	5:00 p. m.	8:00 p. m.
Lv. Jaxsonville	6:54 a. m.	11:42 a. m.	6:00 p. m.	8:50 p. m.
Lv. Linton	7:18 a. m.	12:06 p. m.	6:25 p. m.	9:15 p. m.
Lv. Beehunter	7:30 a. m.	12:20 p. m.	6:40 p. m.	9:30 p. m.
Lv. Elora	7:45 a. m.	12:35 p. m.	6:55 p. m.	9:45 p. m.
Lv. Odon	7:55 a. m.	12:45 p. m.	7:05 p. m.	9:55 p. m.
Lv. Bedford	8:17 a. m.	1:05 p. m.	7:25 p. m.	10:15 p. m.
Ar. Seymour	10:50 a. m.	5:40 p. m.	10:40 p. m.	
No. 28 mixed train North-bound leaves Westport 7:30 a. m., arriving at Seymour 9:45 a. m. daily except Sunday.				
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## CITY TREASURER TELLS 'EM ABOUT IT

Burkart Informs Council That He Will Not Pay Certain Bills Until Legality Is Settled.

CLAIMS FOR \$500 ARE HELD UP

Custodian of City Funds Makes an Inquiry of the State Board of Accounts.

A little surprise was pulled off at the council meeting last night when City Treasurer Charles W. Burkart informed the council in open meeting that he would not, at this time, sign his name to the warrant in payment for certain concrete work which had been done in the city. Mr. Burkart stated that he had been informed that there was a probability that the contracts were not legal, and that if he paid them without protest he might be liable on his bond should any citizens decide to fight the claims. He further stated that he had taken up the validity of several of the bills with the board of accounts and would not place his signature to the warrants until he had heard from that board.

He declared that during the two and one-half years that he has served as city treasurer, he has given no special attention to the claims which were presented but has issued the warrants for the amounts as passed by the council. He stated, however, that within the past two or three weeks several bills had been brought to his attention by the several citizens and that he had to admit that he had been informed of the nature of the work for which the claims were filed. He stated that he did not wish to dictate to the members of the council, but simply wished to explain that he did not desire to lay himself liable for any claims about which there was a doubt, and since the matter had been brought to his attention by several of the citizens and tax payers, he felt that it was necessary for him to pursue the course which he had adopted.

The claims over which the trouble occurred were filed for concrete work done on Pine and Mill streets. It appears that the work was done under the order of Mr. Davison, chairman of the board of public works, following the suggestion of that body that he order such work done where it was necessary to prevent the delay of any improvement which was in progress. The other members of the board of public works seemed to think that Mr. Davison has exceeded somewhat the provisions of that agreement and had ordered a large amount of work which should have come before the board. It is further pointed out that there is law which provides that no contract exceeding \$100 shall be awarded by the council or any member of that body until bids have been advertised for.

The city treasurer is of the opinion that some of the bills, which are now before the council, cannot be allowed since they amount to over \$100 each, no advertisement for bids was made, and further because the work was not ordered by the board.

At the meeting of the council two weeks ago, a bill was presented for \$109.78 for concrete valleys on Pine street. Mr. Burkart stated that his attention was called to the bill and was informed that it amounted to over \$100, that the contract had not been let by the order of the board of public works and that no advertisement for bids was made. The bill was approved by the City Engineer as it was first filed, but a short time before the council met it appears that the bill was withdrawn by the city engineer and two bills were filed in place of one. One of these bills amounted to \$48.62 and the other for \$61.16.

Mr. Burkart informed the committee on claims, two weeks ago, that he would not allow that bill, and when the bill was presented it was laid over upon the grounds that it had not been filed five days before the meeting.

At the meeting last night, a number of other bills for concrete valleys on Mill street were presented. One of these bills calls for \$59.62 covering the payment of part of the work on Mill street on the north side of Fifth street. Another bill calls for \$69.91 in payment for the balance of the same contract. Other bills were filed for a valley constructed on Mill street on the south side of Fifth street. One claim for \$94.71 and the other for \$14.98. Mr. Burkart contends that the bills covering the work on the south side of Fifth street are in payment of a single contract, the total of which amounts to over \$100. He also contends that the work on the opposite side of the street amounts

to over \$100, and because it is presented in two separate bills does not make it legal. Two other bills were presented for work across Mill street on the south side of Sixth, one for \$56.68 and the other for \$31.68. As the total of these bills amount to \$88.36, no complaint has been made against it.

After the city treasurer informed the council that he would not sign the warrants until he was satisfied that he would be under no liability, it was decided to hold over all the claims of Mr. Marberry until the matter was definitely determined.

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Max. Min.

### Weather Indications.

Fair tonight and Saturday.

### Commercial Club.

The Seymour Commercial Club will meet Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the city building. Important business will come before the club and every member is requested to be present. j22d

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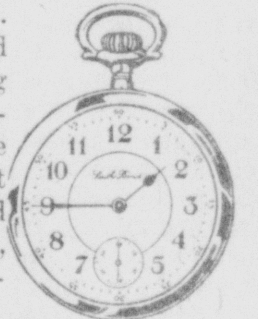
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